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In re application of:

KAZUE KUDO *et al.*

Application No.: 10/665,910

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For: MAGNETIC HEAD AND
METHOD FOR PRODUCTION
THEREFOR

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No.: 7077

Examiner: Kevin M. Bernatz

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1773**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 27, 2005 on the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.